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**From:** Ruf, Christine [Ruf.Christine@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 11/24/2020 6:29:00 PM  
**To:** Hurlid, Kathy [Hurlid.Kathy@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Trombley, Michael [Trombley.Michael@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** RE: Rule Non-significance Determination Form?

Hi Kathy, Antonio can help you fill out the action form for the FRN that Natalia sent to send forward to OP. Antonio knows how to do FR dailies and set up something to send over. He can also fill out the NS form for and also we can advise him on how to enter it in ADP tracker for the guidance part. Maybe we should have a phone call with you and Antonio early next week. I'm very confused about all of this. Happy T'gving!

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**From:** Hurlid, Kathy <Hurlid.Kathy@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 24, 2020 12:55 PM  
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Best,  
Whitney

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Hi all,

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Thank you!!  
Whitney

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Nettie,

You're repping OW on the guidance workgroup, do you know the best way to proceed for Whitney?

Whitney - you're also going to need an action information memo filled out for anything going to the FR. I also believe everything going in the FR needs a green light from Janita/Dave Ross because of the end of administration crunch.

Natalia might be able to provide the action info memo template in my absence.

Thanks!  
Mike

On Nov 24, 2020, at 9:02 AM, Beck, Whitney <[beck.whitney@epa.gov](mailto:beck.whitney@epa.gov)> wrote:

Hi Mike,

I have a question that I hope you can answer in your new role! Kathy and I are currently steeped in EPA's review of Florida's 404 program.

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Our mgmt would like to make a non-significance determination, and I've heard there is a form we should fill out, but I didn't see anything on the ADP site. Can you provide some help with next-steps?

Best,  
Whitney

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